

Session 126 - (2025-2026)

H 4767 General Bill, By Davis, Chumley, Sessions, Oremus, Bustos, Landing and White

Summary: Physician Noncompete Contract Prohibition

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING CHAPTER 9 TO TITLE 41 SO AS TO PROHIBIT NONCOMPETE CLAUSES IN PHYSICIAN CONTRACTS, TO PROTECT PATIENT FREEDOM OF CHOICE, TO DEFINE IMPERMISSIBLE RESTRICTIONS ON PHYSICIAN PRACTICE, TO ALLOW CERTAIN RECOUPMENT OF EXPENSES AND PROTECTION OF LEGITIMATE BUSINESS INTERESTS, AND TO PROVIDE FOR APPLICABILITY.

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| 12/16/25 | House | Prefiled |
| 12/16/25 | House | Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs |
| 01/13/26 | House | Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 85) |
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| 01/14/26 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Sessions, Oremus, B.Newton, Bustos, Landing |
| 01/20/26 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: White |
| 02/04/26 | House | Member(s) request name removed as sponsor: B.Newton |
| 02/05/26 | House | Committee report: Favorable Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs |